

MORGAN, RYAN, MORTON, IN GIGANTIC MERGER

Triple Combination Brings Together Resources of \$150,000,000.

IS LARGEST OF ITS KIND

Guaranty, Morton and Fifth Avenue Trust Companies Are United.

NEW YORK, January 3.—J. Pierpont Morgan, Thomas F. Ryan and Levi P. Morton linked hands in New York today in a trust company merger which unites resources of \$150,000,000. It is a triple combination, bringing the Guaranty Trust Company, the Morton Trust Company, and the Fifth Avenue Trust Company, all of this city, under one head, with the title of the Guaranty Trust Company. The merger is perhaps the largest of its kind in the United States.

Directors of all three companies met today and informally approved the terms of the merger, which will be put in more definite form on Wednesday when another directors' meeting will be held and the plan ratified by the stockholders.

Levi P. Morgan, president of the Morton Trust Company, and the Fifth Avenue Trust Company—both known as the Morgan-Ryan concerns—has consented to act as chairman of the board of the merged companies, for which no president has as yet been selected.

Terms Not Disclosed.
This new move in finance follows the recent absorption of the Guaranty Trust Company by the so-called Morgan interests, but upon just what terms the merger was made was not disclosed today.

The Guaranty Trust Company was organized in 1891, and has total deposits of more than \$88,000,000. The Morton Trust Company, which was formerly the banking-house of Bliss, Morton and Company, was organized in 1899. Thomas F. Ryan is vice-president. Its deposits aggregate more than \$10,000,000. Like the Guaranty Trust Company, its capital and surplus are \$2,000,000 each.

The Fifth Avenue Trust Company, founded ten years ago, is one of the better known up-town financial institutions. With a capital and surplus of \$1,000,000 each, it has paid very large dividends of recent years. The capital stock of the new company probably will be fixed at \$5,000,000, with perhaps a like amount for surplus. It is believed that the merger will involve large stock and cash dividends to the shareholders of the three companies. The present headquarters of the Fifth Avenue Trust Company will be retained as a branch of the combined companies, while larger offices will house the combined companies in the financial district.

SENORA BARRIOS IS IN ALMSHOUSE

Once First Lady of Guatemala, Virginia Girl Is Poverty-Stricken.

NEW ORLEANS, La., January 3.—From a palace where she presided as first lady of the land to an almshouse refuge—such is the fate which has overtaken Senora Barrios, wife of a former President of Guatemala.

With an almost complete impairment of her vision, penniless and without means to earn a livelihood, Senora Barrios knocked for admittance at the Four-Shakespeare almshouse here New Year's day.

Her husband, Jose Maria Barrios, was assassinated a short time after his accession to the presidency. Senora Barrios then went to Europe, where she remained for some time. The fortune which she inherited from her husband was dissipated through mismanagement of those in charge of it.

At the office of the Guatemalan consul it was declared that if the wife of the former President would return to Guatemala to live she would receive a pension from that government equal to the salary paid her husband. This, it was asserted, she had refused. It was stated that \$50 a month was paid to her for considerable time by the consulate under instructions from the President.

The Guatemalan government is now bearing the expense of the education of Consuelo, daughter of Barrios, at a school in London.

Senora Barrios, before her marriage, was Miss Algernon Benton, a native of Virginia, but it was while living in New York that she met General Barrios and married him when she was fourteen years old.

COMMITTS SUICIDE IN JAIL.

Insane Man Held There Pending Transfer to Asylum.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BRISTOL, Va., January 3.—Andrew J. Shiple, fifty-eight years of age, formerly a well-known business man at Johnson City, committed suicide in the county jail at Jonesboro, Tenn., Sunday by cutting his throat with a razor, which had been given him for shaving. He had been confined in the jail for several weeks, and was confined in the prison pending arrangements to send him to an asylum.

RICHEST MAN'S SON FOREMAN OF JURY

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Leading Investigation Into White Slave Trade.

NEW YORK, January 3.—District Attorney Whitman of New York, and the son of the richest man in the world, took up today, one directly, the other indirectly, an investigation of the so-called white slave traffic, a subject that agitated the recent municipal campaign, and more lately formed a basis of a report to Congress.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is foreman of a grand jury sworn today to investigate especially with the task of inquiring into the traffic in women, with a view either to a rigid prosecution or an end to sensational headlines against New York. The District Attorney began a similar line of inquiry. He assigned a special assistant to examine with a state attorney in a statement to-night he urges that the public come forward with any and all evidence that such traffic exists. He asks that this evidence be given not only to his office, but to the grand jury and the courts also.

The District Attorney intimates that prominent men in the city not only endorse the investigation, but stand

ready to aid him in more substantial ways.

In his address to the grand jury, directing that the white slave traffic be thoroughly investigated, Judge O'Sullivan said:

"The subject which I desire you to keep in mind throughout the investigation is the uncovering, not alone of isolated offenses, but of an organization, if such exist, for a traffic in the bodies of women. The law's machinery is at your command. The wealth of this potent prohibition is your ally. The sympathy and sentiment of its law-abiding citizens are with you.

"Your inquiry should not be satisfied by any half-way answer. If organized traffic in women exists in this city, the law is adequate to end it, and punish the offenders engaged. If such traffic does not exist, your inquiry should end forever the sensational slanders against the city of New York."

ASSAULT FOLLOWS SMITHDEAL LETTER

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Mr. G. M. Smithdeal to call his aid and influence in opposing the application of Mr. P. P. Murray; that in the conversation which ensued Mr. G. M. Smithdeal stated to us, positively and emphatically, that "Mrs. Atkinson had told him if he did not make any protest against the bar opening that she would give him \$100 towards prohibition which it came off in this city."

MRS. R. E. THOMAS,
MRS. J. A. MARSHALL,
MRS. J. W. ANDERSON,
Sworn to before me by the above subscribers this 3d day of January, 1910.

JOHN W. ANDERSON, N. P.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 3, 1910.

Mr. Jas. W. Anderson:

Dear Sir:—We, the undersigned, hereby certify that Mrs. Jas. W. Anderson testified accurately as to the above statement as made by Mr. G. M. Smithdeal, and that, had we testified, our testimony would have corroborated her remarks in all particulars.

MRS. R. E. THOMAS,
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Sworn to before me by the above subscribers this 3d day of January, 1910.

JOHN W. ANDERSON, N. P.

Mr. Smithdeal's Statement.

Mr. Smithdeal gave The Times-Dispatch the following statement last night:

"Complying with your request for a statement of my view of the trouble dividing the city, the testimony of James W. Anderson before the Hastings Court a few days ago, and my denial of certain parts of that testimony, let me say that many of the sworn statements will not induce me to admit what I know to be untrue, however sincere Mrs. Anderson and those who endorse her statements may be, and however certain Mr. Anderson may be, as he seems to claim, in the Journal this evening, that he has proven the case against me, I want to say to him and all others concerned that I am just as ready to go before the Judge of all the earth and maintain the position I have taken as I have been to make my claims to men. And I am bound to feel that the three ladies signing the sworn statement were not as careful to remember what was said as they ought to be, for I know absolutely that it is not true that Mrs. Atkinson and I had conversation on the subject, and that she did not promise, and I did not state that she was to give \$100 or any other stipulated amount to the prohibition cause, or for any other cause, if I would do, or not do, certain things.

Assault in Office.

"Regarding the assault made on me in my office to-day by Mr. Anderson, let me say that, feeling as I do, that I have just as much right to be indignant over being misrepresented as he or his wife, or anybody else, and that coming into my office, laying aside his overcoat and beginning almost at once an insulting trade on me, and following that up with blows in my face while I was sitting in a helpless condition at my desk, is anything more than creditable and honorable to him, and I sincerely hope that our courts will make these fellows who assume the role of judge and jury, sheriff and executioner, taking the law in their own hands, so feel the penalties for such high-handed and lawless actions. That their number will speedily grow less. This sort of conduct is especially reprehensible when indulged in by those who are sworn to uphold law and order.

"Anderson evidently feels proud of his cowardly assault on me by his pugilistic statement, according to the News Leader, that he gave me what I deserved, and left me with a black eye. I have no black eye regardless of his statement to the contrary. Therefore it was evidently his purpose to inflict severe injury, and this, too, in the face of the fact that he doubtless intended to go right out and do as I have said, state his case in the newspapers for my vindication."

Virginians at the Hotels

Murphy's—W. W. Trigg, T. P. Trigg, Abington; Thomas W. Moore, Roanoke; Mr. and Mrs. Mac Levy, Norfolk; Hastings, Wellsville; W. T. Devany, Jr., Danforth; W. L. Burruss, Jr., Fredericksburg; E. Barker, Loriot; I. W. Cates, Covington; J. M. Carrington, South Boston; Ames, Pitts, Elk Hill; R. Turnbull, Lawrenceville; Dr. J. B. Moore, Aylett; T. C. Williams, Aylett; E. T. Birdsong, Dupont; C. P. Noblett, Burt; John C. Mooney, Washington; and Lee University; William C. Day, Jr., Danville; and Mrs. A. N. Brantley, City; Mrs. M. A. Brantley, City; Mrs. S. C. Davidson, Norfolk; G. D. Gresham, Newport News; G. Holmes, Norfolk; N. Palmer, Portsmouth; T. E. Burkeville; N. Novey, Franklin; John R. Raw, Parkley.

Richmond—John T. Loving, Pulaski; J. T. Estes, Radford; A. D. Robinson, Radford; C. C. Carneal, Ballville; Mr. H. J. Simon, Bristol; A. W. Plannagan, W. V. Fannagan, Fannagan; Louis E. B. Slickford, Hampton; W. T. Bohannon, Grapes; A. M. Howless, Staunton; Thomas H. Willard, Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Loughton; Mrs. G. S. Rains, Norfolk; M. and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Norfolk; E. C. Sawyer, Norfolk.

Lexington—Roland L. Andrews, South Hill; Willard W. McChes, South Hill; J. C. Thomasson, Lynchburg; C. H. Paxton, Rural; Benjamin E. Dunham, Powhatan; Robert Brydon, Jr., Danville; H. Finch, Clover; W. M. Masters, Harrisonburg; R. M. Shelton, Keokuk; J. T. Hodnett, Stratford; N. W. Wiltshire, Palis; J. M. Lee, Wideswater.

TO INCREASE SELLING PRICES.

Problem Before Cotton Manufacturers and Commission Men.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., January 2.—In response to the general call for a meeting of cotton manufacturers from all parts of the country, and of commission men, to meet to-morrow morning to consider the present situation that faces the manufacturer, it is expected that about 150 manufacturers and commission men will be in Charlotte by the time set for to-morrow's meeting.

The meeting, which caused the meeting to be called, and which will form the chief topic for discussion, is "How to increase selling prices of cotton products."

Continuing the line of raw cotton and the tardiness with which the general textile products markets have followed in a state of affairs to exist in that is of no little embarrassment to the manufacturers all over the country. They claim that they are making no money under present conditions, and that they have not advanced in proportion to the advance in the price of raw cotton, and that cotton is the only thing that has advanced this time to-day.

INSURANCE FIRMS PAY LICENSE TAX

About Thirty Qualify to Continue in Business This Year.

SONG IN HONOR OF SCHOOL

State Horticultural Society to Meet—Pardoned Conditionally.

About thirty insurance companies doing business in Virginia, life and fire, yesterday paid to the Auditor of Public Accounts their annual taxes to the Commonwealth, together with the stipulated ad valorem taxes upon the 1909 business. These payments will be certified to the Commissioner of Insurance, who will issue licenses accordingly.

While the reports of the insurance concerns need not be made to Commissioner Burton for several weeks to come, the South-Atlantic Life Insurance Company, of Richmond, has already completed and submitted its annual statement covering the business of the past year. This action breaks the record in the matter of making reports.

BREAKS INTO SONG

Lyrical Essay in Honor of Harrisonburg Normal School.

Whatever else the new State Nor-

mal School at Harrisonburg may be doing, it has developed a poet. Somebody has composed, to the tune of "Dixie," a song dedicated to this institution, dear to the heart of the student Senator from Rockingham. It is a quaint "Shendo" Land. It is printed on a card, a copy yesterday reached the Secretary to the Governor, Ben P. Owen.

The taste and judgment of the executive himself is extolled in the song. For it runs thus:

"Dem blue stone walls at de school at Shendo land."

The architectural scheme is evidently a dream and a symphony, for instance:

"Dem red-tiled roofs look kinder bumpy."

"Jined wid de blue stone ain't dey scrumpus."

The officers seem to have made a hit. "Dar's Missus Brooke and Mister Bur-

rus, Bustlin' 'round an' hostlin' fer us."

But there is a kick coming for some of the instructors:

"Dar's two more men an' lot o' ladies, Don't nevah tell yo' what yo' grade is."

While the girl students probably do not play football, athletic sports are evidently not discouraged:

"Lam dat ball figh' t'rough de basket."

Conditionally Pardoned.

Governor Swanson yesterday issued a conditional pardon to Willie Shepperson, who has served two weeks of a six months' sentence in the Manchester City Jail for being drunk and disorderly.

Professor C. S. Maurice, the father of Mayor Maurice, presented the application for pardon to the Governor, and it was further endorsed by the Mayor. Shepperson will remain free so long as he does not again violate the law.

Alleged Firebug Arrested.

The Bureau of Insurance yesterday learned that its efforts to discover the cause of a fire in Rockingham county has resulted in the arrest of Jacob

Alton, a negro. The prisoner's house was burned some time ago, and he claimed payment of a policy of insurance for \$1,000. It is stated that he also attempted to get insurance on his personal property, which he claimed was composed in part of some valuable cut-glass.

State Aid for Roads.

Applications are still coming in to the State Highway Commission from counties which desire to participate in the 1910 distribution of State aid to good roads. The number has now reached eighteen for cash aid and eighteen for convict labor, a total of thirty-six or more than one-third of the counties of the State. These counties apparently do not expect the General Assembly to discontinue the assistance which is now being extended.

Convicts Insane.

Acting Superintendent F. A. Lamb, of the State Penitentiary yesterday notified Governor Swanson that convicts Chris. Hayes, No. 8895, and Morris Scott, No. 8607, are apparently insane.

The Governor communicated this fact to Judge R. Carter Scott, of the Circuit Court of the city of Richmond, requesting him to take the prescribed legal action.

Boys' Farm Work.

The boys' demonstration work, inaugurated by the Department of Public Instruction with the aid of the United States Department of Agriculture, is meeting public favor. A number of counties want to get into the game this year, but the number is necessarily limited.

The department is now getting out the necessary blanks on which to make reports of those boys who are taking up the work.

Horticultural Meeting.

Annual Session of Society Begins at Winchester To-morrow.

Commissioner of Agriculture George W. Kolner will go to-day to Winchester to attend the annual meeting of the State Horticultural Society on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. This society gets a limited amount of

aid from the State. Governor Swanson has also been invited to attend, but will be unable to do so.

In the invitation, Secretary Whately thanks the Governor for the interest he has shown in the objects for which the society was organized, and in the success and welfare of the organization. At the meeting are expected some of the most able and prominent authorities on horticultural matters to make addresses, and the show of apples is planned to be the largest in the history of the society, if not of the State.

Rev. J. T. Mastin III.

Secretary J. T. Mastin, of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, is quite ill. Dr. Mastin returned yesterday from Norfolk, where he has spent the holidays, and went to his home.

Syns Lasserter Will Win.

"Somebody seems to have lost sight of the fact that Charles T. Lasserter, of Petersburg, is one of the active candidates for Congress from the Fourth District in the special congressional election to be held on January 25," said a visitor from Petersburg last night.

Mr. Lasserter's chances are second to none, and his friends believe he will give a good account of himself at the polls. There is indeed sufficient evidence to justify him in predicting that he will lead the ticket.

Young Boys Arrested.

David Easley (colored) was arrested yesterday evening on a charge of stealing a gold-dial watch from Mr. Rorr.

James McKean and Charles Fox, thirteen and fourteen years old, respectively, were arrested last night on a charge of stealing brooms from Lawrence Paul, 73 West Main Street. The two boys, though so young, are said to be bad characters. One of the brooms, which cost 40 cents, was sold for a dime.

Mr. Loving Here.

Ex-Mayor John T. Loving, of Pulaski, who has been a committee clerk in the House of Delegates for years, arrived in Richmond yesterday. Mr. Loving is a candidate for reappointment by Clerk John W. Williams, and his friends believe he will be successful.

Candidates Queried.

The Rev. James Cannon, Jr., superintendent of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, has addressed to each of the four Democratic candidates for the nomination to Congress in this district a series of questions as to the position he would take in Congress in reference to the passage of liquor legislation that may come before that body for action. These questions are as follows:

"First: Will you favor the passage of legislation which will secure for the several States a complete and effective control over the liquor traffic within the several States, including control by the police power of the several States over all shipments of liquor as soon as they enter the bounds of any State?"

"Second: Will you favor such action by Congress as will give to the executive branch of government of the United States tax receipts in communities where license to sell liquor cannot be granted in accordance with the laws of the State?"

"Third: Will you favor the passage of such legislation as will give to the people of the District of Columbia the right to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors whenever a majority of the residents of the district indicate their desire to do so?"

The answers to these questions may influence many voters in their preferences. The trustees of the liquor question in the campaign meets wide condemnation.

A Car Thief Sent On.

William Harris, colored, charged with breaking into and robbing freight cars of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, was to-day sent on to the Hustings Court to answer two charges of larceny. One of these was the theft of twelve bags of peanuts, which, under false representations, he sold to a merchant, and the other was the theft of two calves from a car, which he sold to a local colored butcher. He was identified in both cases.

He was also suspected of having stolen a case of shoes, but this has not been established. Last week two other negroes were Atlantic Coast Line cars for robbing the freight cars.

Personal and Otherwise.

The Rev. J. S. Foster, D. D., who will leave for New York to-day, pastored the church of the First Presbyterian Church in Birmingham, Ala., preached his final sermon in Tabb Street Presbyterian Church last night before a very large congregation. A. P. Hill, Camp of Confederate Veterans attended in a body, and a large number of Methodists were present. The services were impressive. Dr. Foster was pastor of Tabb Street Church for nearly eight years, and his resignation was a loss to the church. He is generally and sincerely regretted.

Petersburg holds its own as the greatest export tobacco city in the United States. During the year just closed, about 7,500,000 pounds of manufactured tobacco were exported from the city.

Frederman W. Jones left to-day to enter on his duties as commercial agent of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, with headquarters in Charlotte, N. C.

A slight fire occurred early last night in the store of J. E. Blankenship, corner of Third and Franklin streets. The fire was extinguished by the department before much damage had been done.

Hardy's barbership, on Sycamore Street, was broken into Sunday morning and robbed of a coat and razor. When Mr. Hardy entered the front door, the thief had thrown the coat over his shoulder.

Mrs. Winn, wife of the Rev. J. B. Winn, D. D., is very ill at the residence of John W. Hays, on Adams Street. Her illness has continued and serious illness. Dr. Winn has not been able to assume the duties of his new pastorate in Danville.

O. T. Butterworth, purser of the steamer Pokanoket, who has been under treatment in St. Vincent's Hospital, Norfolk, and is now at the Norfolk, is expected to be discharged to-day. He is now at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

NOT TURNED ASIDE BY RAILWAY HEADS

ARGUMENT BEGINS IN SUPREME COURT

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poses authorized by law and for a price not less than par for stock and not less than the reasonable market value for bonds. The railroads claim that this restriction will seriously interfere with their borrowing ability. The amendments are designed to prevent over issues of stocks and bonds and the custom known as "watering."

If adopted, it is said, the amendment also would put an end to what is known as "speculative construction."

The railroad presidents objected further to the proposed amendment giving to shippers the right of selecting "through" route for their goods and to giving the Interstate Commerce Commission the right to initiate complaints and hold up new ratings and classifications by a railroad until sufficient cause shall be shown for the new rates.

New Paper for Richmond.

It is stated that early in the spring Richmond's already long list of publications will be augmented by the appearance of a semi-monthly journal, devoted to the interests of Virginia agriculture. The publisher is said to be a native of the State, who recently returned from residence elsewhere and to possess abundant experience and ample capital.

Week of Prayer Service.

Dr. J. V. Fair conducted the week of prayer services at the Church of the Covenant last night. The First Presbyterian and Westminster Churches participated. The singing by Mr. Hays was a special feature. Services will be conducted to-night by Dr. Cecil.

Here to Attend Funeral.

In Richmond to-day, registered at the Jefferson, to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Crews, are the following officials of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company from Atlanta: W. T. Gentry, president; J. Epps Brown, vice-president; and general manager, J. R. A. Housh, general superintendent; W. H. Adkins, general contract agent.

BANKER MORSE NOW CONVICT NO. 2814

Ice King Clothed in Stripes and Will Be Assigned to Work To-day.

ATLANTA, Ga., January 3.—Charles Wyman Morse, former ice king and millionaire banker, at noon to-day began his service of a fifteen-year sentence in the Atlanta Federal prison for violation of the national banking laws. He is registered as convict No. 2814, and to-night occupies a steel cell not in the least different from those to which are assigned the several hundred other prisoners. His long sentence in the Federal prison, which he had not been vaccinated, was the result of the fact that he had not been vaccinated.

Mr. Morse arrived from New York at 10:45 A. M. in charge of two deputy marshals, and accompanied by his friend and close business associate, W. P. Reid, of Boston. He made no protest when the cameras of the newspaper men were turned upon him. He was placed in a hack and driven to the prison. There the formalities incident to the entry of all prisoners were promptly entered upon and completed before the dinner bell sounded.

Because he had not been vaccinated Mr. Morse was not permitted to eat in the big dining-room with his fellow convicts, and his first meal was served in his cell.

His "Pedigree" Taken.

Except when his "pedigree" was being taken Morse showed no signs of emotion. The prisoners turned over to the clerk \$218 in currency and some

private papers. Because there was no evidence of violence shown in the prisoner's record, he was assigned to "Class 1," which entitles him to the privilege of seeing relatives or friends for thirty minutes in each two weeks of his confinement. He may write and receive letters and have access to the library.

Morse will arise at 5 o'clock to-morrow morning for "house detail," and at 7:30 o'clock he will file into the big dining-room with the motley horde of prisoners, white and colored, whose crimes range from "moonshining" to murder. There he probably will be assigned to the tailor shop or put to work on the construction gang.

Mrs. Morse is expected to arrive here from New York to-morrow after a conference with her husband as they will return to New York and take up in earnest her declared purpose to seek a pardon at the hands of President Taft.

Just before reaching Atlanta Mr. Morse granted an interview to a newspaper man last night before he started for the Federal prison. "This is not the end," he declared; "in fact, it is but the beginning. The fight has just started."

FLUENCY OF COLD MONEY FACTOR OF WEAKNESS

NEW YORK, January 3.—The stock market became quite weak to-day and prices of United States Steel, Union Pacific and Reading, and like important speculative leaders were forced down between 2 and 3 points. Rock Island Amalgamated Copper and a few other stocks afforded some contrast with this weakness and suggested a contest of speculative forces. One prime factor in the weakness was the fluency in the call money market. At 14 per cent, a higher rate than has been made on the New York Stock Exchange in over two years past.

The last week's bank statement, showing surplus reserves below \$1,000,000, and the heavy requirements of January's settlement, compelled the clearing-house banks to call loans

heavily to keep within their reserve requirements.

The suspicion was aroused among the speculators that the powerful leaders of last year's speculation for the advance had shifted their position. There was a dread that higher prices for money rather than higher prices for stocks had come to be their purpose.

An unfavorable effect was produced by the news from Washington of the visit of the railroad presidents at the White House to oppose President Taft's intended changes in the Interstate Commerce law. There was much talk also of threatened labor troubles. United States Steel was particularly affected by this latter influence.

The market showed only slight recovery, power and ended in a very unsettled condition.

Virginia Historical Society.

The annual meeting of the Virginia Historical Society will be held at the Woman's Club on Thursday night. The historical address will be delivered by President Lyon G. Tyler, of Williams College, and the regular business will be transacted.

Elect Officers To-day.

The Alumni Association of the Virginia Hospital Training School will hold an important meeting at the hospital this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Plans will be discussed for a reception to be tendered in honor of the State Association of Graduate Nurses, which meets here January 26 to 28, and officers elected for 1910.